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R 252043Z SEP 76  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW  
INFO AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: JA, UR, US

SUBJECT: MIG-25

1. THE FOLLOWING EXCHANGE TOOK PLACE AT DEPARTMENT PRESS  
BRIEFING SEPTEMBER 24:

Q. ON A DIFFERENT MATTER, HAVE YOU RECEIVED FROM MOSCOW  
ANY KIND OF PROTEST CONCERNING THE MIG-25, ESPECIALLY  
SINCE THE UNITED STATES IS NOW PARTICIPATING IN THE  
INVESTIGATION OF THAT SOPHISTICATED AIRCRAFT AND IS GOING  
TO CARRY THAT AIRCRAFT TO ANOTHER AIR BASE IN JAPAN?

A. AS FAR AS I KNOW, WE HAVE RECEIVED NO FORMAL COMMUNICA-  
TION ON THAT SUBJECT. WE ARE AWARE OF THE SOVIET'S FEEL-  
INGS WITH REGARD TO THIS, HOWEVER.

Q. DOES THAT MEAN YOU RECEIVED ANY INFORMAL INFORMATION  
FROM MOSCOW?

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A. I SAID WE ARE AWARE OF THEIR OPINION ON THIS MATTER,

BUT WE HAVE RECEIVED NO FORMAL STATEMENT FROM THEM ON IT.

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## Message Attributes

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